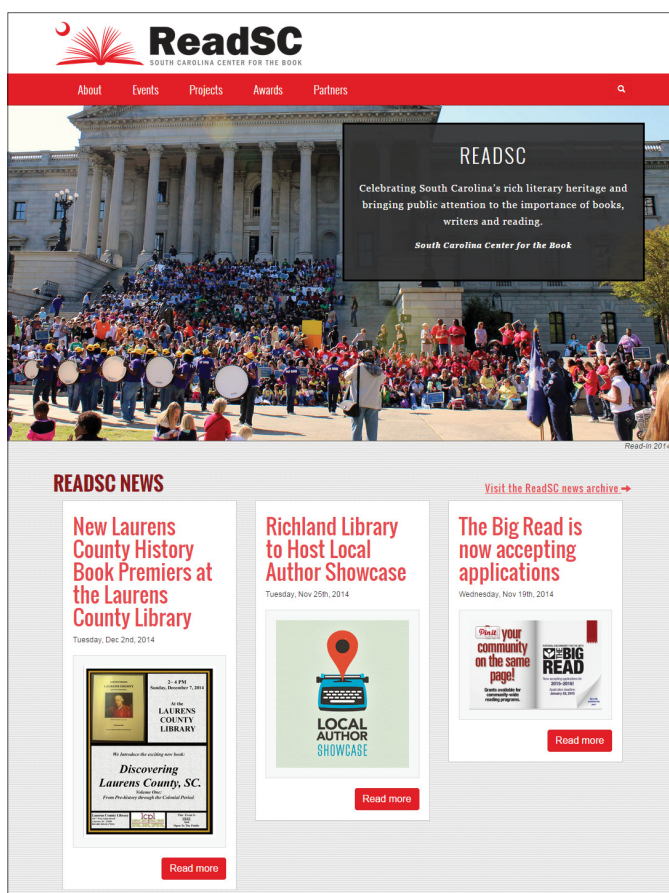


## State Library Launches New ReadSC Website

The South Carolina State Library is pleased to announce the launch of its newly redesigned website ReadSC.org. The new site has an easy-to-navigate menu bar and provides keyword searching of its website pages.

The South Carolina Center for the Book is the South Carolina affiliate of the Library of Congress Center for the Book and is a cooperative project of the South Carolina State Library, the University of South Carolina School of Library and Information Science, and the Humanities Council<sup>SC</sup>. The Center is located at 1500 Senate, Columbia, SC, in the State Library. The Center officially began in 1996.

[ReadSC.org](http://ReadSC.org) celebrates South Carolina's rich literary heritage and brings public attention to the importance of books, writers



and reading. The website provides information about literary events and projects such as Letters About Literature, an annual student writing contest sponsored by the State Library, Center for the Book, and State Library Foundation.

For more information about ReadSC.org, please contact Dr. Curtis R. Rogers, Coordinator of the South Carolina Center for the Book at [crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov](mailto:crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov) or 803-734-8928.

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## Join the New Fad - Searching for Government Documents

The U.S. Government Printing Office's (GPO) Federal Digital System (FDsys) has achieved the milestone of one billion document retrievals. FDsys is a one-stop site for authentic, published information on the three branches of the Federal Government.

FDsys offers free public access to nearly one million searchable titles, and that number continues to grow every day. Examples of



content found on FDsys include: the Warren Commission Report (new this year, including the full report and 26 volumes of hearings), the post-President Kennedy assassination tape recordings, President Nixon's Watergate grand jury testimony, the Budget of the U.S.

Government, the Congressional Record, Federal Register, Code of Federal Regulations, and congressional bills, hearings, and reports.

Learn more at [fdsys.gov](http://fdsys.gov).

## Events Calendar



Have you visited our calendar of events lately? Be sure to check out the training sessions and classes to learn more!

[statelibrary.sc.libcal.com](http://statelibrary.sc.libcal.com)

## Learn MORE About the Services and Programs of the South Carolina State Library

Do you want to learn more about the services and programs of the South Carolina State Library? Register today for one of our monthly free 30 minute LIVE webinars!

January 27, 2015 - 3:30 p.m.

February 18, 2015 - 10:30 a.m.

March 20, 2015 - 2:30 p.m.

To register, please visit our events calendar at [statelibrary.sc.libcal.com](http://statelibrary.sc.libcal.com).

For more information, please contact Dr. Curtis R. Rogers, Communications Director at 803-734-8928 or [crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov](mailto:crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov).



# Poets and Writers Invited to Submit Work to Fall Lines – A Literary Convergence

Poets and writers are invited to submit previously unpublished poetry, essays, short fiction and flash fiction to volume two of *Fall Lines* — a literary convergence. While the editors hope to attract the work of poets and writers from the Carolinas and the Southeastern U.S., acceptance of work is not dependent upon residence. Submissions will be accepted through March 1, 2015.

*Fall Lines* is a literary journal based in Columbia, SC and presented by *Jasper Magazine* in partnership with the University of South Carolina Press, Muddy Ford Press, Richland Library and One Columbia. With a single, annual publication, *Fall Lines* is distributed in lieu of *Jasper Magazine*'s regularly scheduled summer issue.

Please limit short fiction to 2,000 words or less; flash fiction to 350 – 500 words per submission; essays to 1,200 words; and poetry to three pages (Times New Roman 12 pt.)

While you are invited to enter up to five items, each item should be sent individually as a single submission. Please include with each submission a cover

sheet stating your name, e-mail address, and US Post Office address.

There is a \$3 reading fee for each short story; for up to three poems; for up to three flash fiction submissions; or for each essay.

Submit work online at [bit.ly/1yySfUI](http://bit.ly/1yySfUI).

Publication in *Fall Lines* will be determined by a panel of judges. Accepted authors will be notified in May 2015, with a publication date in June 2015. Accepted authors will receive two copies of the journal.

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## Wild Dunes Author Event Featuring Pat Conroy and Cassandra King

**WHAT:** 9th Annual Wild Dunes Club Author's Event: Featuring Pat Conroy and Cassandra King.

**WHEN:** January 10, 2015 at Wild Dunes Resort in Isle of Palms, SC.

- 4:00 p.m. -5:00 p.m. Cocktail hour, silent auction and book signing
- 5:00 - 6:00 p.m. Panel discussion
- 6:00 p.m. Book signing

Tickets are on sale to the public so get yours today!

The Club is proud to host its 9th



annual author's event, supporting literacy and education in the Lowcountry on Saturday, January 10, 2015. The 2015 panel interviews the Conroy family: Pat Conroy and his wife, Cassandra King. Guest Alex Sanders will introduce. Mary Alice Monroe will moderate.

General Admission: \$50. (seats are not assigned) Ticket price

includes panel discussion, book signing, silent auction, passed hors d'oeuvres, carving station, wine and soft drinks. Cash bar available for beer and liquor purchases. Books available by Barnes & Noble.

Email your ticket request to [Clubline@wilddunes.com](mailto:Clubline@wilddunes.com) or call 843-886-2020.

## Union Friends Donates \$5,000

The renovation, restoration, and completion of the Union County Carnegie Library is \$5,000 closer to reality thanks to the efforts of the Friends of the Library.

In a statement released Monday, Library Director Ben Loftis announced that the FOL had donated \$5,000 to the Library Renovation Project which will "Renovate, Restore, and Complete" the library.

Debby Green, President of the Friends of the Library, stated "the library is one of Union's most

essential resources. The Friends are pleased to donate to the renovation project and encourage other civic organizations and individuals to consider donating to such a worthy endeavor."

Loftis was appreciative of the gift from the Friends.

For more information, please call Ben Loftis at 864-427-7140, ext. 102



or email to [bloftis@unionlibrary.org](mailto:bloftis@unionlibrary.org).

See the full article in the *Union Daily Times* at [bit.ly/1wdTBCL](http://bit.ly/1wdTBCL).

# New South Carolina State Government Documents for October 2014

The South Carolina Digital State Documents Depository provides access to publications produced by state agencies and state-supported academic institutions. These publications provide citizens with crucial information about state government, including statistics, annual accountability reports, and data on a wide variety of topics related to the state. The new South Carolina State Documents monthly publication provides a description, author, and link to the full-text for each new agency document published in October.

This month features many annual accountability reports from state agencies. Each year, state agencies report to the Office of State Budget a yearly accountability report with discussion and analysis, major accomplishments, strategic planning, expenditures, and performance measurements.

The South Carolina Department of Commerce also published a series of brochures on industries in the state such as aerospace industry, bioscience, and small business. These brochures list the economic impact, other statistics, and contact information for the agency.

## New South Carolina State Documents

*A Monthly Report from the SC State Library*



### October 2014

These publications were produced by South Carolina state agencies and state-supported academic institutions. All titles are available online through the [State Documents Depository](#).

#### Boards, Authorities & Commissions



South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation

**2013-2014 annual report** - 2014 [Annual Reports & Annual Accountability Reports](#)

OCLC#: 31674270

Each year the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation publishes a report with summary of agency-related legislation passed, descriptions of each office, and yearly statistics.



South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, Board of Nursing

**Insert into the SC nurse newsletter** - 2014-09 [SC Nurse Insert](#)

OCLC #: 881738155

The Board of Nursing at the South Carolina Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation published this newsletter to be inserted into the SC Nurse newsletter from the South Carolina Nurse Association. Insert includes mission statements, board member information and vacancies, and other board news.



South Carolina Public Service Commission

**REGULATED WATER AND WASTEWATER COMPANIES** - 2014-08-22

OCLC#: 896674092

This is a list of water companies and water treatment companies giving a history of rate applications. It is divided by the name of the company, docket number, order number, order date, approved water rate, approved sewer rate, remarks, tap and impact fees.

#### Corrections



South Carolina Department of Corrections

**Cost per inmate fiscal years 1988-2014** - 2014-09-23

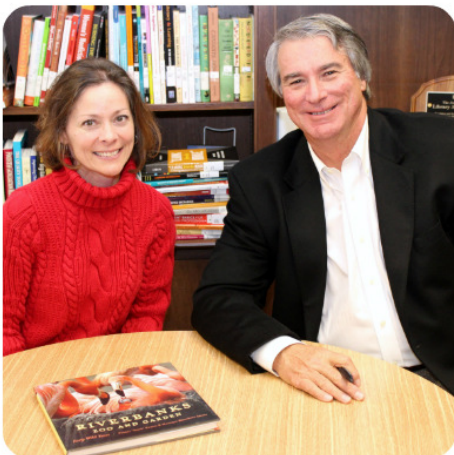
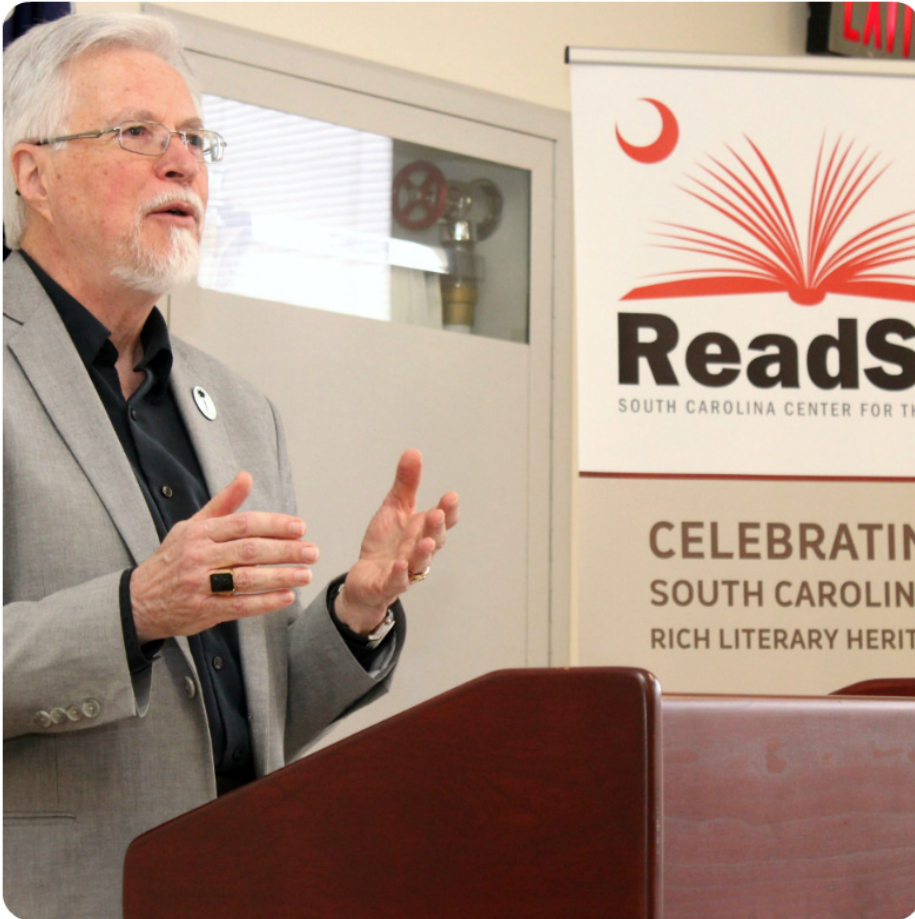
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This gives the cost of keeping inmates in prisons. It is broken down by annual cost and daily cost, based on state funds and all funds. It covers years 1988 through 2014.

View this and additional issues at  
[dc.statelibrary.sc.gov/handle/10827/1](http://dc.statelibrary.sc.gov/handle/10827/1)



## Photos from Speaker @ the Center



The South Carolina Center for the Book hosts a monthly Speaker @ the Center. The above photos are from the past years' events. Starting top left and going clockwise: Dr. Tom Mack - *The South Carolina Encyclopedia Guide to South Carolina Writers*, Tom Poland & Robert Clark - *Reflections of South Carolina, Volume 2*, John Warley - *A Southern Girl*, Patricia Moore-Pastides - *Greek Revival from the Garden: Growing and Cooking for Life*, Marjory Wentworth - *New and Selected Poems*, Palmer "Satch" Krantz and Monique Jacobs - *Riverbanks Zoo and Garden: Forty Wild Years*.

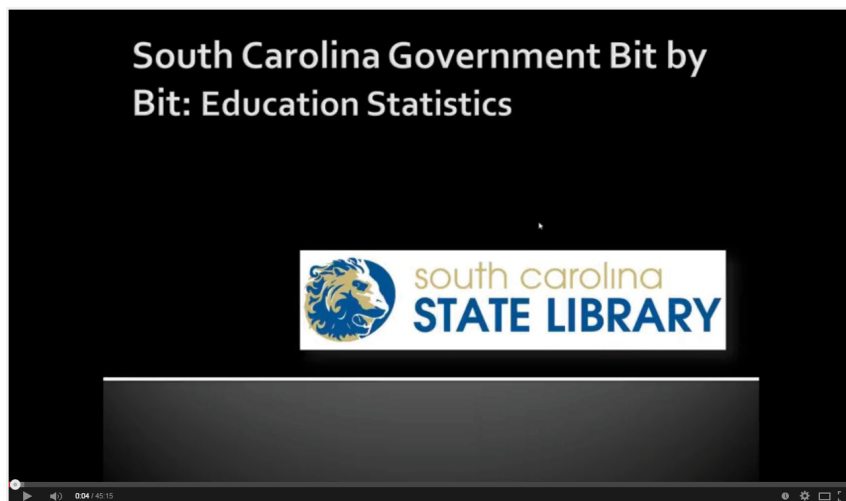
For more event photos, please visit the State Library's flickr site at [flickr.com/photos/scsl](http://flickr.com/photos/scsl).

## Online Learning Opportunity - Education Statistics Resources

Looking for online learning opportunities? Visit the South Carolina State Library's YouTube channel to find recorded webinars and much more! Here is a link to a recent webinar recording for South Carolina State Government Bit by Bit - Education Statistics.

[youtu.be/xSuHc3L8Pv8](http://youtu.be/xSuHc3L8Pv8)

Check it out!



## The Big Read is Now Accepting Applications

The Big Read is accepting applications from non-profit organizations to develop community-wide reading programs between September 2015 and June 2016. The Big Read is a national program designed to revitalize the role of literature in American culture and to

encourage reading for pleasure and enrichment.

Organizations selected to participate in The Big Read receive a grant, access to educational and promotional materials, and online training resources and opportunities. Approximately 75

organizations from across the country will be selected.

Application deadline: January 28, 2015.

To review the Guidelines and Application Instructions and discover all 37 titles available for selection this year, visit [www.NEABigRead.org](http://www.NEABigRead.org).

Questions? Call Arts Midwest at 612-238-8010 or email [TheBigRead@artsmidwest.org](mailto:TheBigRead@artsmidwest.org).





## Workshop Designed to Help Residents Record and Preserve Memories

Do you have a compelling story to share, but don't know what to do or how to get started? Be part of a groundbreaking, three-day workshop featuring the internationally renowned Center for Digital Storytelling, and learn how to use today's technology to preserve your personal stories and those of others.

Hosted by Charleston County Public Library from Jan. 22-24, 2015, at the Main Library in downtown Charleston, this free workshop will teach attendees about script writing, image preparation, voiceover recording and story editing.

Due to extremely limited space, participants will be selected through a contest. To enter, individuals or pairs must submit a video or written essay explaining why they want to participate in the workshop, why they want to share their story and how they think the workshop will help them preserve and share stories in the future.

Entries can be either:

- A video, maximum two minutes, uploaded to YouTube or copied and sent on a DVD. Videos uploaded to YouTube should be tagged CCPL Contest - I Want To Tell

You with your name and the title of your entry.

- A written essay, maximum 500 words.

Entries must be postmarked by Dec. 31, 2014.

Video links and essays can be emailed to [IWantToTellYou@ccpl.org](mailto:IWantToTellYou@ccpl.org) or entries can be mailed to Kimberly Bowlin, Charleston County Public Library, 68 Calhoun Street, Charleston SC 29401.

All entries must include signed copies of the official Entry and Release Form, which is available on the library's website - [www.ccpl.org](http://www.ccpl.org).

An external panel of judges will select a maximum of 10 individuals or pairs to attend the training. Winners will be announced by January 12. Entrants must agree to attend the full, three-day workshop, if selected.

The final workshop product with the participants' stories will be featured during a special premiere prior to the 2015 Charleston Tells Storytelling Festival, and their videos will be screened during the Festival set for March 13-14, 2015. Participants also will receive tickets to the Festival along with a copy of their final story, either electronically or on DVD.

Presented by CCPL and the Charleston Tells Storytelling Festival, the workshop is made possible by funding by a Library Services and Technology Act grant from the Institute of Library and Museum Services administered by the South Carolina State Library.

For more information, please visit [bit.ly/1vHIj4r](http://bit.ly/1vHIj4r).





## Upcoming Continuing Education Events

### ***Using Britannica Library (Public Library Edition)***

Thursday, December 18, 2014, noon - 1:00 p.m.

Join us to learn ways to help both children and adults find answers to their questions and get started on projects, using the new Britannica Online Public Library Edition. Bring your questions and our expert Britannica trainer will be glad to answer them during this live presentation. Participants will learn about special features, including the General Reference section and the Kids section with reference and educational materials for elementary and middle school students.

Register: <http://bit.ly/1nyztFn>

### ***Using Britannica Academic Edition***

Thursday, December 18, 2014, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Join us to learn new ways to get students started on their projects using Britannica Online Academic Edition. During this 1-hour training webinar, participants will have their questions answered and learn about Britannica Online's special features, including:

- updated interface for easier searching
- research tools to compare countries using demographic and economic statistics, including built-in graphing and charting tools
- the Workspace storage tool
- and much more!

Register: <http://bit.ly/1hRiWNV>

### ***Programming for Educational Success***

Tuesday, January 13, 2015, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Learn strategies for designing fun and engaging educational programs that support STEM, Common Core and 21st Century Learners. Each participant will take away several ideas which can be immediately used to connect "regular" library programming to educational needs.

Register: <http://bit.ly/1GkBjR4>

### ***Sharing Links to Discus Resources***

Tuesday, January 13, 2015, 11:00 a.m. - noon.

Discus – South Carolina's Virtual Library provides amazing library resources to citizens of our state. Do you want to include links to Discus articles, images, or videos in a web page, reading list, or email? It's not as simple as copying and pasting from your browser. The session will show you how to obtain the appropriate persistent URLs to share and connect with others in South Carolina!

Register: <http://bit.ly/1GdP4Tx>

### ***Speaker @ the Center - John Mark Sibley-Jones Book Talk and Signing***

Thursday, January 15, 2015, noon - 1:00 p.m.

John Mark Sibley-Jones will discuss his book, *By the Red Glare*, a Civil War novel of divergent lives and pervasive perils amid the burning of Columbia, South Carolina. Published by USC Press. Books will be available for purchase and autographing. Speaker @ the Center is FREE and open to the public. Feel free to bring your lunch. Location: SC State Library, 1500 Senate St., Columbia. No registration necessary.

View more events and register online at [statelibrary.sc.libcal.com](http://statelibrary.sc.libcal.com)

# State Library Volunteers and Interns Share Their Experiences

*My name is Jessica Dai* – a volunteer at the South Carolina State Library and graduate student at USC's School of Library and Information Science where I will graduate this December. I currently work on two projects – one involving digitization and the other preservation.

The digital project involves scanning, naming, and creating metadata for slides. These slides document library buildings and services in South Carolina from about the '60s to the '90s. Working with these slides can be very enlightening and challenging. It can be fun to witness the variety of clothing and hairstyles which have evolved over the years. On the other hand, creating metadata records for older materials which are largely undocumented can be difficult. Many of these slides lack pertinent information about its location, date, or people photographed. Sometimes it can be frustrating to think that information about these people,

services, and libraries is lost forever.

On the other hand, working on the preservation project is a great way to extend the life of the materials in the Rare Books Collection. Many of the items in this collection are of particular interest to South Carolina history and life. The collection is broad and covers topics from law and politics to nature and poetry. The project involves replacing old flags and folders with new acid-free ones, as well as creating new barcodes for those books and materials.

So far, volunteering has been great and allowed me to gain some hands-on experience. I have an interest in digital collections, special collections, and preservation, so this is a great way for me to learn more



about some of the more day-to-day issues and experiences working with specialized collections.

You can check out my professional website at [jessicadai.com](http://jessicadai.com).

## Submit Your Library News

Do you have an interesting library-related story, event, or program that you would like to see in the next issue of *More*?

Please email it to [crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov](mailto:crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov) and include photos or images as separate files.

**I am Rachel Walden.** I have been volunteering on a couple of different projects at the South Carolina State Library. The main one has been scanning materials and creating metadata for the scanned images or PDFs so that they can be added to the South Carolina Digital Library. I was working mainly with photos from old children's programs all over the state. The best picture was a group of children and the librarians at the side of a pond while a man was feeding an alligator in Lancaster County, which is where my family is from. I also was working with some of the rare books. I would rewrite the call numbers on archival safe flags and replace any folders with new acid free ones.

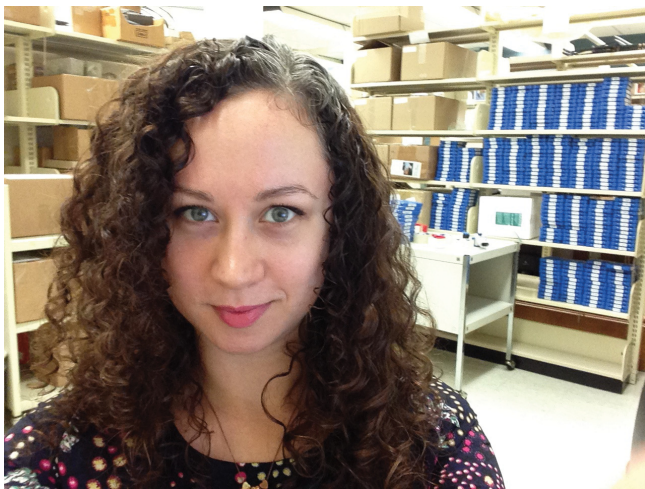
I was born in raised in Columbia,

and I graduated with a BS in Biology from Lander University. I will be graduating with my MLIS from USC this month! I have focused most of my time while in graduate school learning all about the technical services aspects of libraries. Working on these projects has increased my knowledge of metadata and the different technologies used for digitization projects.

When I am not volunteering, I work at the USC Law Library as a Cataloguer and Technical Assistant. In the evenings I also run the circulation desk at the USC Medical Library. I am hoping all of these experiences will help me to obtain a job in technical services preferably at a special or academic library. In my



spare time which has been very few and far between, I bake and I won my first blue ribbon at the SC State Fair this year for a S'mores cake.



**My name is Milena Engh,** and I have been interning with the South Carolina State Library as part of my last semester at the University of South Carolina. I will be graduating this month with a degree in Library & Information Science and a minor

in Art History. My internship duties were organized into four points of emphasis: Public Relations, Blogging, Digitization, and Talking Books Services. Consequently, my projects were quite varied- creating a lobby display for Speaker @ the

Center, fixing broken links for the StudySC website, promoting Banned Books Week, SC Archives Month, and the Letters About Literature program, and editing audiobooks for Talking Books Services, to name a

few.

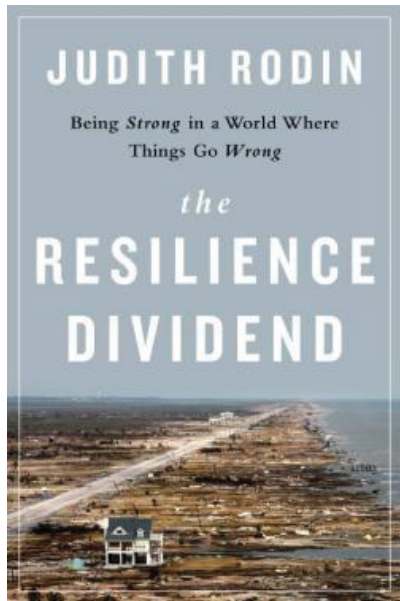
This was my first internship experience, and I thoroughly enjoyed it. As an SCSL intern, I had the unique opportunity of experiencing a library's library, so to speak. I gained insight into the SCSL mission and implementation thereof, from daily operations to long-term goals and strategies. Also, I had the pleasure of working with a competent, warm and engaging staff. As I transition from undergraduate to graduate school, from student to professional, this internship is already proving to be an invaluable experience!

Feel free to visit my internship blog at <http://bit.ly/1IC0P8q>.

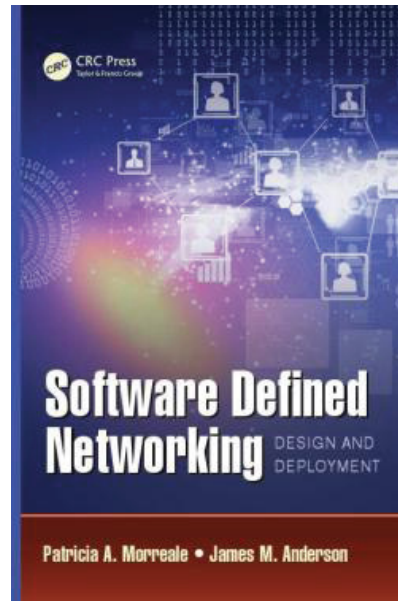


## New Ebrary Books from the State Library

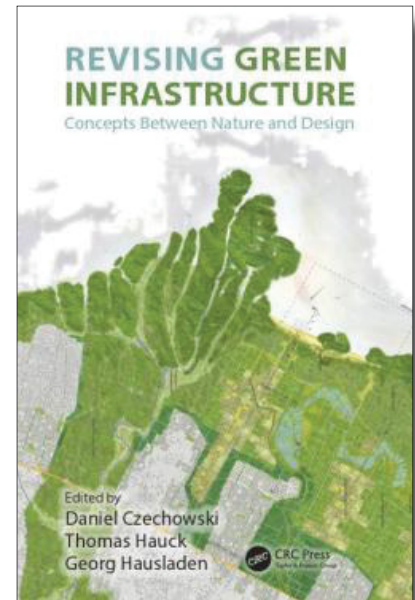
***Resilience Dividend : Being Strong in a World Where Things Go Wrong***  
by Judith Rodin - November 2014



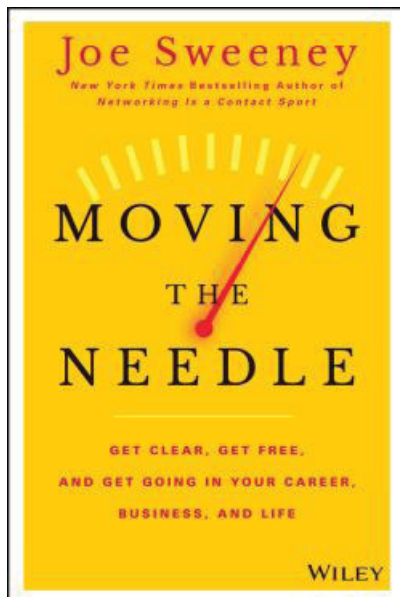
***Software Defined Networking: Design and Deployment*** by Patricia A. Morreale - November 2014



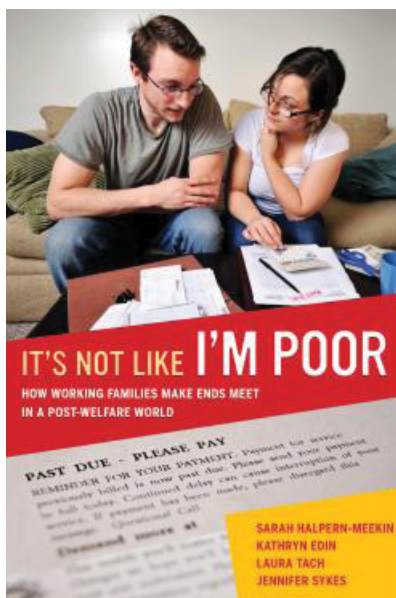
***Revising Green Infrastructure : Concepts Between Nature and Design*** by Daniel Czechowski, Thomas Hauck, and Hausladen Georg - December 2014



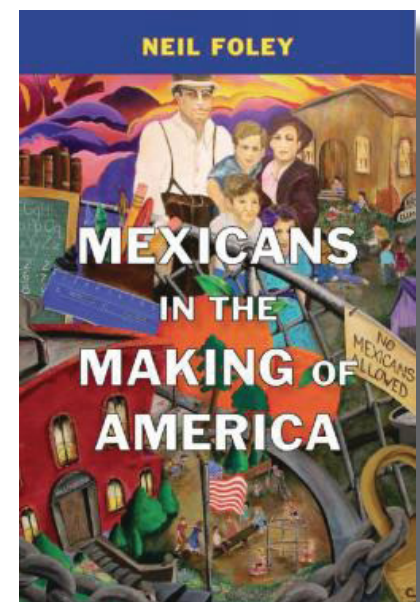
***Moving the Needle : Get Clear, Get Free, and Get Going in Your Career, Business, and Life!*** by Joe Sweeney & Mike Yorkey - October 2014



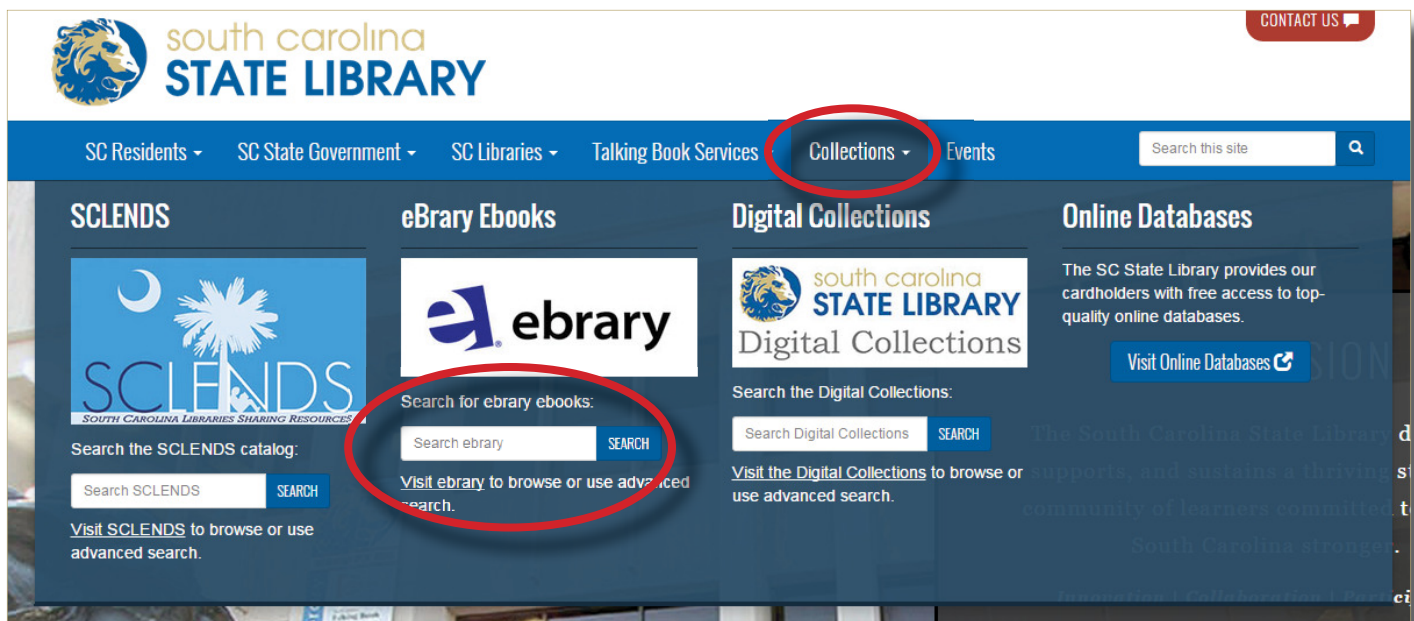
***It's Not Like I'm Poor : How Working Families Make Ends Meet in a Post-Welfare World*** by Sarah Halpern-Meekin, Kathryn Edin, and Laura Tach - January 2015



***Mexicans in the Making of America*** by Neil Foley - October 2014



To access eBrary Ebooks, visit [statelibrary.sc.gov](http://statelibrary.sc.gov) and click on the Collections link, then click on eBrary Ebooks or search directly from the page.



## New South Carolina Historical Newspapers

By Debbie Bloom, Richland Library Walker Local History Room Manager

Several new SC titles went live this month on [Chronicling America](http://ChroniclingAmerica). They are almost all from Camden, SC and the date range is 1836-1891.

The titles include: *Semiweekly Camden Journal* (1851-1852); *Camden Journal* (1836-1852, 1864 & 1866-1891); *Camden Daily Journal* (1864); *Camden Confederate* (1864-1865); *Journal and Confederate* (1865); *The Tri-weekly Journal*

(1865); *The Weekly Journal* (1865); *Camden Weekly Journal* (1865-1866)

One title went up from Bamberg, *The Bamberg Herald* (1899-1916).

The next group should be live shortly and will include: *The Bamberg Herald* (1917-1922); *The Lexington Dispatch* (1873-1917); *Lexington Dispatch-News* (1917-1918)

For more information, please visit Debbie's blog, *The Dead Librarian*

at [thedeadlibrarian.blogspot.com](http://thedeadlibrarian.blogspot.com).





## Where do you take your Talking Book Services (TBS) books on tape?

Do you take your State Library Talking Books on trips?

If so, send us a photo of yourself with your talking books and send it to us to post to our website! We love hearing from our Talking Book Services patrons and especially like to know where you take your books to enjoy.

You can send your photos and a brief description to [crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov](mailto:crogers@statelibrary.sc.gov) and it'll get posted at our Talking Book Services website and on our Facebook page.

Pictured is TBS patron Ann Humphries on a waterfall hike.

*Photo by Sparkle Clark.*



## Featured Service: State Legislator Resources

The Information Services professionals at the South Carolina State Library have created a compilation of online resources from a variety of federal and state agencies to provide relevant and accurate South Carolina statistical information.

This resource guide is designed to be used by both state legislators and legislative staff and is divided into major categories: Demographics; Education; Health; Crime; Taxes and Revenue; Voter Registrations; and Commerce and Workforce.

This research guide will be continually updated with new online resources and categories in an ongoing effort to provide legislators and their staff the most pertinent and current information on their

respective communities and the constituents whom they serve.

Visit our [South Carolina State Legislator Resources guide](#) to learn more!

[statelibrary.sc.libguides.com/sc-legislative-research](http://statelibrary.sc.libguides.com/sc-legislative-research)



## In the News...

### ***Integrating Libraries and Bookstores: In Theory***

I often dream I am in a bookstore or in a library. Then I wake up and I am in Queens, the largest of the five boroughs in New York City, the most diverse place imaginable, and where there are currently two Barnes & Noble and one independent book seller and a few places to buy used books. But given the size and density of this borough, this borough truly lacks bookstores.

<http://bit.ly/15NCqhe>

### ***Princeton U. Press Launches Open, All-Digital Version of Einstein Papers***

The Einstein Papers Project, the decades-long effort to compile and preserve the scientist's professional work and personal writings, is today opening to the public as a free searchable database containing thousands of documents.

<http://bit.ly/12HDphE>

### ***Google Donates \$1 Million to Help NY Libraries Get People Online***

That WiFi-device lending program we told you about this summer is getting a million dollar shot in the arm from Google. Mountain View's donation (along with \$500,000 from the Knight News Challenge) is helping libraries in Manhattan, Brooklyn and Queens provide Sprint-powered hotspot devices to get qualifying families online.

<http://engt.co/1x63luC>

### ***Crowdsourcing Old Journals***

From the time he was 10 a century and a half ago, William Brewster searched the woods and fields of New England for birds, eventually becoming a noted ornithologist and spending half his life curating the Harvard Museum of Comparative Zoology's bird collection.

<http://bit.ly/1yZEFYe>

### ***Columbia Museum Depicts 1865 Horror***

Who burned much of Columbia to the ground on Feb. 17, 1865, is a debate that has been as heated as the blaze for 150 years. But when Union Gen. William T. Sherman's troops left, about one-third of South Carolina's capital city was a smoldering ruin.

<http://bit.ly/1yD3Nq2>

### ***Library or Homeless Shelter? Proposal to Open Library 24-7 Spurs Debate***

A proposal to keep the Salt Lake City Main Library open all day every day has some residents worried the architectural gem designed by renowned architect Moshe Safdie could become the nation's ritziest homeless shelter.

<http://bit.ly/1Ghupy7>

### ***Google Should Pay Authors for Scanned Books, U.S. Appeals Court Told***

Google Inc's massive effort to scan millions of books for a digital library violates copyright law, illegally

depriving authors of licensing fees, royalties and sales, a lawyer for a group of authors told a U.S. appeals court. <http://reut.rs/13cVkg9>

### ***Library Technology Forecast for 2015 and Beyond***

With another year winding down, we're pausing to review some of the accomplishments with technology in libraries and consider what might be in store. Each year seems to bring an accelerating pace of change. While libraries tend to operate at a safe distance from the cutting edge of technology, it is important to look forward in order to be aware of the movement underway.

<http://bit.ly/12tirmL>

### ***Apply now for 2015 Teen Tech Week™ Grants***

The Young Adult Library Services Association has opened the application for its 2015 Teen Tech Week Grants. Through generous funding from Best Buy, 20 grants worth \$1000 each will be distributed to libraries to help support their digital literacy programs. Eligible applicants can apply now through Jan. 1, 2015. Recipients will be announced on or around the week of Jan. 26, 2015. <http://bit.ly/1vV6Doz>

# South Carolina State Library Digital Collections Highlight

## Economic Outlook

Since 2008, the South Carolina Department of Commerce has published the Economic Outlook, a monthly snapshot of key state economic indicators on income, employment, and real estate. You can access copies from 2008 to 2014 in the South Carolina State Documents Depository.

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